

# "JUST SPLENDID"

There is no doubt about our line being complete, up-to-date, and always fresh.

Here are some pleasing things at pleasing prices:  
Extra select Desert Yellow Peaches.....per can 30c  
Extra select black Tartarian Cherries.....per can 30c  
Extra select Outhbert Raspberries.....per can 30c  
Extra select Blackberries.....per can 25c  
Sugar-leaf graded Pine Apple.....per can 30c  
Sugar-leaf sliced Pine Apple.....per can 25c

**ROMIG & STAPLES,**  
Grocery and Bakery. La Grande.  
Phone 431

## UNDERTAKERS FUNERAL DIRECTORS

Having purchased the undertaking goods of E. Andross & Co., at an early date we expect to find suitable quarters and will open the most complete and up-to-date Undertaking Parlors in Eastern Oregon. In the meantime we are prepared to render the best possible service and will be found at the Andross & Co.'s Furniture Store.

We have had many years experience in this business and know that the public will appreciate the establishment that we will maintain. Our prices will be reasonable, and our stock complete. All calls will receive prompt attention.

### GIFFIN & HOGAN.

For the present with E. Andross & Co. Phone 91

## REDUCTION SALE

We have made up our minds to sell every roll of Wall Paper in our store before the next spring stock arrives, and in order to insure a complete clean-up we have cut the price regardless of former price.

### Wall Paper from 5 cents up

We want to clear the house before March 1st as we expect a carload of W. I. Paper to arrive on that date. We have more Wall Paper now on hand than all the other paper houses in the county. Therefore you will have a greater variety to select from. Our present stock is complete.

## Stackland & McLachlen PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS

## BLOCKLAND BROS

Island City, Oregon  
Breeders of BERKSHIRE and POLANDCHINA SWINE.

We now have eight young bucks, pure bred, Cotswold and shropshires, ready for service, anyone needing choice bucks, should see these to appreciate them. Young stock always on hand, and always glad to have you call and see our hogs, as we breed them for the Farmer, and ask you to compare our prices before buying some where else.

Notary Public

Insurance

## Money to Loan

Representing the Equitable Savings & Loan Association of Portland, Or., the strongest, safest & most reliable institution on the Pacific coast, under State supervision. Loans made short or long time to suit.  
WM. GRANT, Agent

City property for sale.

## FOR ONE DOLLAR

You can get a pretty street hat at the BARGAIN Store. We also have a complete line of

## CHRISTMAS GIFTS AND HOLIDAY GOODS

**E. M. WELLMAN & CO**  
La Grande - Oregon

# MANY ACRES TO BE RECLAIMED

## Government Preparing to store Water for Irrigation Purposes.

The following government irrigation projects have either been let to contractors or have been advertised: Truckee-Carson project in Nevada; construction commenced September 1903.

Salt River project, Arizona; construction commenced November, 1904. Minidoka project, Idaho; construction commenced November, 1904.

Hondo project, New Mexico; construction commenced December, 1904. North Platte and Pathfinder project, Nebraska and Wyoming; proposals advertised to be opened January 9, 1905.

The preliminary work of road building and telephone line has been undertaken also on the Shoshone project, Wyoming.

The reclamation projects approved contain a total of 1,131,000 acres of arid lands, situated in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Wyoming, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, South Dakota, Oregon and Washington.

The total amount of money appropriated for the work on these approved projects is \$31,398,000, an average cost an acre of \$27.26. The lowest cost an acre is \$18 and the highest \$35.

The Salt River project in Arizona comprises 160,000 acres at \$20 an acre, amounting to \$3,200,000.

In California the Yuma project consists of 85,000 acres, at an average cost of \$35 an acre, making a total of \$2,975,000.

The Uncompahgre project in Colorado contains 100,000 acres, at a cost of \$2,500,000, or an average of \$25 per acre.

In Idaho the Minidoka project of 70,000 acres, calls for an expenditure of \$1,820,000 or \$26 an acre.

The Truckee-Carson project in Nevada, which contains 100,000 acres at \$20 an acre, totals \$2,000,000.

The North Platte and Pathfinder project, situated in both Nebraska and Wyoming, constitutes a total of 100,000 acres at an average cost of \$35 an acre, amounting to \$3,500,000.

The Hondo project in New Mexico comprises but 10,000 acres at \$23 an acre, a total of \$230,000.

The Malheur project in Oregon contains 75,000 acres, costing \$2,250,000, an average of \$30 an acre.

In South Dakota the Bellefourche project of 60,000 acres at \$32 an acre, totals \$1,920,000.

The Palouse project in Washington of 20,000 acres, cost \$2,000,000, an average of \$100 an acre.

The largest in cost is the Shoshone project in Wyoming, which contains 100,000 acres, the same acreage as Arilona, but at a cost of \$25 an acre brings the total to \$4,000,000.

The North Dakota project comprises 61,000 acres. Of this amount 30,000 acres cost \$50,000, or an average of \$30 an acre. The remaining 31,000 acres totals \$560,000, or \$18 an acre.

The Montana project comprises 70,000 acres, costing \$2,100,000, or an average of \$30 an acre.

## Another Fire

On Jan 2 we will commence bring \$20,000 worth of dry goods, shoes, millinery, washees, cloaks and jewelry of all kinds, also a full line of merchandise.

This is our first annual sale, and we intend to make a success of it if prices will do it. Every thing in the store will be reduced. Seasonable goods at 1/2 price. We have a bargain counter that will surprise you. Call and look it over, it is just like finding the goods.

We also have a remnant counter which is full of bargains.

These goods have got to go to make room for our spring goods which will be here soon.

Sale to last thirty days  
If you want your money to do double service call at THE RAINBOW STORE

## Stomach Troubles and Constipation

"Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are the best thing for stomach troubles and constipation I have ever sold," says J. B. Cullman, a druggist of Potterville, Mich. They are easy to take and always give satisfaction. I tell my customer, to try them and if not satisfactory to come back and get their money, but have never had a complaint." For sale by Newlin Drug Co.

## The Diamond Cure

The latest news from Paris, is that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough, for fourteen years. Nothing helped me, until I took Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, and effected a permanent cure." Unequaled quick cure, for Throat and Lung Troubles. At the Newlin drug store, price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed Trial bottle free.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Union County. In the matter of the Estate of Jane Ball, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administrator of the estate of Jane Ball, deceased, pursuant to an order of the above entitled Court, made and entered on the 14th day of December, A. D. 1904 will from and after Wednesday the 1st day of February A. D. 1905, proceed to sell, at private sale for cash to the highest bidder, subject to confirmation by the Court, all and to the following described real estate, to-wit:—An undivided one half interest in lots 1 and 2, and all of lot 3 in Block 104 of Chaplin's Addition to La Grande, Oregon; an undivided one half interest in and to lot 6 and the north twenty-one feet of lot 7 in Block 14 in Arnold's Addition to La Grande, Union County, Oregon subject to the life estate of George Ball, therein, and a mortgage of \$70 on Lots 1 and 2 in Block 12 as of record, or so much thereof as is necessary to pay estate debts. Dated at La Grande, Oregon, and first published this December 24th, 1904.  
GEORGE BALL, Administrator.

## TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878--

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
U. S. Land Office, La Grande, Oregon, December 18, 1904.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1894, John H. Armstrong, of Pendleton, County of Umatilla, State of Oregon has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3251, for the purchase of the E 1/2 Sec 9 and NW 1/4 Sec 10 & NW 1/4 Sec 10 of Section No. 10 in Township No. 1 S., Range No. 10 W., 1894.  
And will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at La Grande, Oregon, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1905.  
He names as witnesses: Peter E. Johnson of Huron, via Kamela, Or.; Thomas J. Means of Pendleton, Or.; Harry Reed of Pendleton, Or.; and James Allen of Huron, via Kamela, Or.  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of February, 1905.  
E. W. Davis, Register.

## TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878--

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, December 21, 1904.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1894, James C. McIntyre, of Nellieville, county of Clark, State of Wisconsin has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3252, for the purchase of the E 1/2 Sec 9, NW 1/4 Sec 10 & NW 1/4 Sec 10 of Section No. 10 in Township No. 1 S., Range No. 10 W., 1894.  
And will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at La Grande, Oregon, on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1905.  
He names as witnesses: Ralph H. Bullis, of Buckley Wash.; Leonard C. Bullis, of Perry, Oregon; Robert W. Winners, of Halsey, Oregon; and M. Oscar Coombs of Estacade Oregon.  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 6th day of March, 1905.  
E. W. Davis, Register.

## TO THE HON. COUNTY COURT OF UNION COUNTY, OREGON

We the undersigned legal voters and residents of the Precinct of Hilgard, Union County, Oregon, hereby respectfully petition your Hon. Court to grant to Holverson & McFarland a license to sell spirituous, malt or vinous liquors or fermented cider, commonly known as hard cider, in less quantities than one gallon in the town of Hilgard, in the precinct of Hilgard in Union County, Oregon, for a period of six months commencing February 10, 1905.  
John Thompson Harry Wells  
O. R. Hissett G. Garden  
W. L. Frilla an E. Roesti  
Fred Duttley Mark Markle  
Henry Love Geo. C. Lee  
Jas. Lafferty J. W. Riely  
J. F. Nibley B. B. Beauchamp  
F. A. McDougall J. D. Casey  
Wm. Cantler J. P. Newma  
Frank Shodstrom J. E. Kirk  
Geo. Rogers Geo. Blanchard  
Pat. Lucey F. E. Moore  
Wm. Banks H. A. Endrup  
J. B. Dillman J. E. Lanman  
J. B. Matherson L. G. Wells  
Fred Werner Chas. Baker  
Ed Peterson Ed Thompson  
Frank Sanford Rudolph Hartle  
G. H. McGarry J. W. Scott  
Ed Saling Mat Anderson  
Harry French J. T. Holmes  
B. Sholdstrom N. C. Endrup  
Geo. Tepto William Law  
C. Johnson T. M. Rankin  
Ole Liverson C. S. Hame  
F. Maden Frank Moore  
M. C. Burchett George Burchett  
C. C. Farmer Clarence Ong

Notice is hereby given that we will on the 1st day of February 1905 apply to the County Court of Union County, Oregon, at the court house for a license to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors or fermented cider commonly known as hard cider in the town of Hilgard, Union County, Oregon, for a period of six months commencing on or about February 10, 1905.  
HOLVERSON & McFARLAND

# LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF RESTORATION of Public Lands to Settlement and Entry. Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., November 1, 1904. Notice is hereby given that on October 21, 1904, the Acting Secretary of the Interior restored to settlement the public lands in the following described areas, which were temporarily withdrawn for forest reserve purposes; and that the said public lands so restored to settlement on October 21, 1904, will become subject to entry, filing and selection at the United States District Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, on March 1, 1905: In Township three (3) North, Range forty-four (44) East, the south-east quarter of Section twenty-four (24) and the west half of Section twenty-five (25); In Township three (3) North, Range forty-four (44) East, Sections one (1) to five (5), both inclusive, the north half of the north-west quarter of Section six (6), the north half of Sections nine (9) and ten (10), Sections eleven (11) to fourteen (14); both inclusive, the north-east quarter of Section twenty-two (22), the north half of the south-east quarter of Section twenty-three (23), Sections twenty-four (24) and twenty-five (25), the south half of the south-west quarter of Section thirty-one (31), and all Section thirty-six (36); In Township four (4) North, Range forty-four (44) East, the west half of the west half of Section one (1), Sections two (2) to eleven (11), both inclusive, the north-west quarter of the northwest quarter of Section twelve (12), the south-west quarter of Section thirteen (13), Sections fourteen (14) to twenty-three (23) both inclusive, the west half of the west half and the south-east quarter of the south-west quarter of Section twenty-four (24), the west half of Section twenty-five (25), Sections twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27) and twenty-eight (28); In Township four (4) North, Range forty-four (44) East, the south-east quarter of the south-east quarter and the north-east quarter of the south-west quarter of Section twenty-nine (29), the south-west quarter and the south half of the north-west quarter of Section thirty-one (31), and Sections thirty-two (32) to thirty-six (36), both inclusive; In Township two (2) North, Range forty-five (45) West, Sections one (1), two (2) and three (3) the north half of Section four (4), the north half and south-west quarter of Section five (5), the north half, and the north half and south-east quarter of the south-east quarter of Section six (6), the east half of the east half of Section nine (9), Sections ten (10) to fourteen (14), both inclusive, the east half of Section fifteen (15), Section sixteen (16), the south half of the north-east quarter, the north half of the south-east quarter and the south-east quarter of Section seventeen (17), the south half of the south-east quarter of Section nineteen (19), the south-west quarter of the south-west quarter, the north-east quarter and the north half of the north-east quarter of Section twenty (20), the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter, the north half of the north-east quarter and the north-west quarter of the north-west quarter of Section twenty-one (21), the east half of Section twenty-two (22), Sections twenty-three (23) to twenty-six (26), both inclusive, the east half of Section twenty-seven (27), the south-east quarter of the south-east quarter and the north-east quarter of the south-east quarter and the west half of the west half of Section twenty-nine (29), the east half of the north-east quarter and the north-east quarter of the south-east quarter of Section thirty (30), the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, the west half of the southeast quarter, the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter, the east half, and the east half of the west half of Section thirty-two (32), the south half of the north-east quarter and the south-east quarter and the south-east quarter of Section thirty-three (33), the east half of the east half of Section thirty-four (34), the east half of the east half of Section thirty-five (35), and all Sections thirty-six (36); In Township three (3) North, Range forty-five (45) West, the east half and the east half of the west half of Section three (3), Sections six (6) to seven (7), both inclusive; All that part of Township four (4) North, Range forty-one (41) East, lying south and east of the Grande Ronde River; In Township three (3) North, Range forty-one (41) East, Sections one (1) to six (6), both inclusive; All that part of Township four (4) North, Range forty-one (41) East, lying south and east of the Grande Ronde River; All that part of Township five (5) North, Range forty-one (41) East, lying south of the Grande Ronde River; In Township five (5) North, Range forty-two (42) East, Sections thirteen (13) to sixteen (16), both inclusive, and Sections twenty (20) to thirty-six (36), both inclusive; All of the Township six (6) North, Range forty-one (41) East, lying in Washington; In Township seven (7) North, Range forty-three (43) East, Sections twenty-four (24) and twenty-five (25), the south half of Section twenty-eight (28), the south-east quarter of Section thirty-one (31), the south half and north-east quarter of Section thirty-two (32), and Sections thirty-three (33) to thirty-six (36), both inclusive; In Township nine (9) North, Range forty-three (43) East, Sections one (1) to four (4), both inclusive, Section seven (7), the north half of Section eighteen (18), and Section thirty-six (36); In Township nine (9) North, Range forty-four (44) East, Sections one (1) and twelve (12); In Township nine (9) North, Range forty-four (44) East, Sections three (3), four (4), five (5) and eight (8), and the north half of Sections twenty-six (26) and twenty-nine (29); In Township nine (9) North, Range forty-four (44) East, Sections four (4) to nine (9), both inclusive, Sections fifteen (15) to twenty-two (22) both inclusive, and Sections twenty-seven (27) to thirty-four (34), both inclusive; All of the Willamette Meridian, Washington Territory.  
W. A. Richards, Commissioner.  
Approved:—E. A. Hitchcock, Secretary of the Interior.

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W. A. Richards, Commissioner.  
Approved:—E. A. Hitchcock, Secretary of the Interior.

## IN THE COUNTY COURT, FOR THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF OREGON.

In the Matter of the Estate of } Citation  
Jane Ball, Deceased. }  
To George W. Allen and J. W. Allen, heirs-at-law of Jane Ball, deceased, and to all other unknown heirs and persons concerned:—Greeting:  
In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Union, at the Court Room thereof, at La Grande in the County of Union, on Saturday, the 10th day of December, 1904, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why the petition of George W. Allen, Administrator of the above named estate, praying for an order of the said Court, authorizing dispensing and empowering him to sell the real property belonging to said estate, to pay estate debts, should not be granted.  
Witness, the Hon. M. A. Harrison, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Union, with the Seal of said Court affixed this 4th day of November 1904.  
Attest: J. B. GILHAM, Clerk.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
U. S. Land Office, La Grande, Oregon, Oct. 18, 1904.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1894, Clara A. Brown, of Rego, County of Union, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 3253, for the purchase of the E 1/2 Sec 9, NW 1/4 Sec 10 & NW 1/4 Sec 10 of Section No. 10 in Township No. 1 S., Range No. 10 W., 1894.  
And will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at La Grande, Oregon, on Saturday, the 7th day of January, 1905.  
She names as witnesses: Herbert R. Clever of Caldwell, Idaho; Ralph H. Bullis of Perry, Oregon; Benjamin F. Young of Hilgard, Oregon; William F. Longley of Halsey, Oregon.  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of January, 1905.  
E. W. Davis, Register.